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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

## FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

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## Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- . The oath or declaration is missing.
- A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
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The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- A substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52, 1.121(b)(3), and 1.125, is required. The substitute specification must be submitted with markings and be accompanied by a clean version (without markings) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.125(c) and a statement that the substitute specification contains no new matter (see 37 CFR 1.125(b)). The specification, claims, and/or abstract page(s) submitted is not acceptable and cannot be scanned or ropperly stored because:
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If the drawings or flow diagrams are contained in the claims, applicant must file:

- (1) an amendment to the claims in compliance with 37 CFR 1.121 (deleting the drawings or flow diagrams); and
- (2) new drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 1.121(d) (if applicant wants to include the drawings or flow diagrams in the application).

If the drawings or flow diagrams are contained in the abstract, applicant must file:

- (1) a replacement abstract commencing on a separate sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 1.72(b) and 1.121 (deleting the drawings or flow diagrams); and
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